

The Honorable RONALD B. LEIGHTON

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
IN AND FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT TACOMA

BRYCE MEYER, individually and as the  
representative of all persons similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

vs.

AMERICAN FAMILY MUTUAL  
INSURANCE COMPANY and AMERICAN  
STANDARD INSURANCE COMPANY OF  
WISCONSIN, foreign insurers,

Defendants.

CASE NO. 3:14-cv-05305-RBL

DECLARATION OF STEPHEN M.  
HANSEN IN SUPPORT OF FINAL  
APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION  
SETTLEMENT

I, STEPHEN M. HANSEN, DECLARE UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY UNDER  
THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

1. I am over the age of eighteen years, a citizen of the United States, and have  
personal knowledge of all facts contained herein. This declaration is submitted in  
support of the request for final approval of the settlement preliminarily approved  
by the Court on February 26, 2016 (Dkt #71).

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2. Following the grant of Preliminary Approval in this matter, the notice of the proposed settlement was mailed to all members of the Class by the Claims Administrator, Class Action Administration, Inc. ("CAA"). Since that time we have regularly received information from CAA concerning the status to the mailings, website activity, claims activity, and activity of those electing to opt out and object to the proposed settlement. The most recent report from CAA was received as of May 27, 2016, and the information contained in this declaration has been obtained from that report.
3. CAA mailed 2,403 settlement notices following the Court's preliminary approval. The addresses were obtained from the Defendants' database. Of the 2,403 notices mailed, after re-mailing and searching for new addresses, only 75 were undeliverable. This is a 96.88% success rate. Currently, further efforts are ongoing to locate the remaining 75 class members.
4. In accordance with the Court's preliminary approval order, CAA established a website which contained relevant documents and information concerning the suit, and which allowed electronic submission of claims. As of May 27, 2016, the settlement website has been viewed 2,223 times; an average of 69.5 views per day.
5. The claims filing deadline is not until July 25, 2016; however, as of May 27, 2016 520 claims have been received (201 on-line and 319 on paper). No objections to the Settlement were received by the May 26, 2016 Objection Deadline, and only one opt-out request has been received.

DATED at TACOMA, Washington, this 31<sup>st</sup> day of May, 2016.



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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned certifies, under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington, that on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of May, 2016, I electronically filed the above and foregoing document, including Exhibits, with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system, which will automatically send notification of such filing to the following:

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DATED this 31<sup>st</sup> day of May, 2016, at Tacoma, Washington.

  
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